

BPL technology should not be utilized in any way, shape, or form. Trial periods should be discontinued immediately due to the harmful effects it is presently causing. Quite simply it makes impossible any type of communication from 1 Mhz to 80 Mhz and beyond. This technology, if one can call this a technology, utilizes the power lines for corrupting the entire spectrum because of the lines acting like one large rf radiator. In other words the line is the antenna. This can be shown at this site which the ARRL has submitted evidence in a video form. For high speed connections http://216.167.96.120/BPL_Trial-web.mpg and for dial-up the site is http://216.167.96.120/BPL_Trial-small.mpg

In addition to this is the reasoning for the Electric Companies wanting BPL which is Greed. The potential for monies is what drives them under the guise of having the poor rural areas access to the internet. It would cost the Electric Companies billions of dollars to get those people on line, and it is not in their interests to do that. There are presently other alternatives for internet access which are available.

Lastly, Japan would not allow this garbage technology in their country. They know the harm it will do. Why dont we? The NTIA advises against this also. There is no justification of any kind for approval of construction or installation of equipment which would cause interference problems to other services from which they have over-sight responsibilities. The FCC is clearly in the business of protecting the harmful effects of negligence by electrical devices and they have done an exceptional job of it. But if this is allowed to go on you will have violated the very principles upon which you stand and what this country was built on.

Gentlemen, have courage and put your foot down to this garbage. Say NO TO BPL in any way, shape, or form.

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